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## THE DEADLOCK

Still Continues at Frankfort—  
No Election Today.

## SOUTHERN REPUBLICANS WROTH

A Mine Bomb Killed by a Heavy  
Fall of State.

## USUAL NEWS FROM THE SOUTH

Frankfort, April 8.—The Hunter-  
lies this morning loudly claimed that  
the election would be reached today,  
and that the voters would be elected.  
When the ballot was taken, however,  
it resulted about the same as yester-  
day and no election. A second ball-  
ot was taken without change of result  
it is not now believed an election will  
be effected this week. The attempt  
to elect the Alton Democrat to  
senator Martin has proven a dismal  
failure. There is little disposition on  
the part of the Alton men to be in a  
hurry to make terms with the Alton  
money men.

## SOUTHERN REPUBLICANS

Also the Administration Has Not  
Properly Recognized Them.

Washington, April 8.—A Southern  
Republican speaking in reference to  
the public patronage distributed by  
President McKinley claimed the  
Southerners had not been fairly  
treated, that only slaves and carpet-  
baggers had been recognized. He  
was wroth and "hot under the col-  
lar." He claimed the fact had been  
recognized by all the South-  
erners.

## KILLED BY FALLING SLATE.

Mine Bomb Killed Thomas in the  
Hendler Mines.

Beaver Dam, April 8.—Hollie  
Thomas, a lone in the Hendler Mines  
was killed this morning by being  
crushed under a mass of falling slate  
amounting to several tons. Life was  
extinct when the body was removed  
from beneath the debris. It was  
crushed beyond recognition.

## DISASTROUS FLOOD NEWS.

Bridges Washed Away—A Family  
of Six Drowned.

Granville, Miss., April 8.—The  
outlook for the country is exceedingly  
dismal. The unprecedented rise of  
the Yazoo and all tributary streams,  
resulting from the crevasses in the  
Mississippi levees, left little time to  
protect bridges or other property and  
in the lowest places even the escape  
of the inhabitants with their lives was  
difficult. Bridges are being carried  
away rapidly and the waters threaten to  
leave not one standing in the country.

Seven fatalities are reported from  
lowlands some miles from here in this  
county. A mother and six children  
endeavored to make their escape to  
higher ground this morning suddenly  
found themselves in deep water and  
all were drowned before assistance  
could reach them. The rise had been  
so much greater than expected last  
night that when they awoke this morn-  
ing they found themselves in great  
peril. The waters are still rising  
rapidly.

## THE FIVE GATES

The Five Last Night Destroyed in  
Nicholas County.

Carle, Ky., April 8.—This morn-  
ing in a state of great excitement  
over last night's raid upon the toll  
gates, which was in some respects the  
worst that has occurred in the coun-  
ty. But five gates remained of the  
thirty-three in the county and those  
were last night destroyed by a mob of  
desperadoes who not only destroyed  
the gates, but terribly beat and mal-  
treated State Keeper Jones who re-  
sisted with them at one of the  
gates. They told him as certain as  
he attempted to collect more tolls  
they would hang him and his family  
and burn his home. It is probable  
no effort will be made to re-estab-  
lish the gates, but the county will  
probably acquire the roads.

## SENSATIONAL REPORTS.

Alleged Poisoning of Rivera—  
Weyler's Messengers to Gomez.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 7.—A  
dispatch to the "Globe-Democrat"  
from Jacksonville says: Many ru-  
mors are rife in Havana concerning  
the condition of Rivera at San Chris-  
tobal. One report says that the Cu-  
ban prisoner is in a bad way. His  
wounds are poisoning him badly and  
will not heal. It is reported that he  
is in a precarious condition.

Another alarming rumor was heard  
also, and from a reliable source,  
stating that as the Spaniards, being

now afraid to shoot Rivera, on ac-  
count of the agitation in the United  
States and the effect it might have in  
Europe, have administered a slow  
poison, the reports about his wounds  
given out to make it plausible,  
if he should die suddenly. The Cu-  
ban Junta officials and others here are  
much agitated over these reports, as  
they fully believe in them, but they  
cannot see their way clear toward  
presenting the full design of the  
Spaniards. They have sent a trusty  
courier to San Cristobal to closely  
watch Rivera there in jail service  
and Rivera's condition.

News from Gomez is of a sensation-  
al order, too. It is reported as com-  
ing direct from him that Weyler sent  
messengers to ask about peace negotia-  
tions, the emissaries being empow-  
ered to arrange for a meeting of Go-  
mez and Weyler. It is stated that  
Gomez preemptorily refused to have  
anything to do with the matter, say-  
ing that it was only another of Wey-  
ler's traps to kill another Cuban gen-  
eral, as they could not kill them in  
honorable warfare.

An officer from Rivera's old army  
is reported to be responsible for the  
statement that Rivera was on his way  
to meet Gomez when he was cap-  
tured. A spy to his camp gave the  
Spaniards his plans, and they way-  
laid him. This sensational news has  
evoked much comment.

## RIVERA RESCUED.

Captured by Insurgents on the  
Way to Havana.

## THE TOLL GATE RAIDERS

Destroy Five Gates and Assault a  
Gatekeeper.

## THREATENED TO HANG HIS FAMILY.

New York, April 8.—A cablegram  
from Cuba says the Insurgents have  
effected the release of General Ruiz  
Rivera by capturing the train on  
which he was being conveyed to Ha-  
vana. There is great rejoicing at the  
Juntas and among Cuban sympathizers  
generally.

## BRYAN AS JUDGE.

Will Officiate at the Interstate Or-  
atorical Contest.

Emporia, Kan., April 8.—The  
judges have been chosen for the in-  
terstate oratorical contest between  
state normal schools, which will be  
held in Emporia May 7, and at which  
orators from Wisconsin, Illinois, Mis-  
souri, Indiana and Kansas will be  
present.

William J. Bryan is a judge of de-  
livery. The other judges on delivery  
are State Senator Hensin, of Manhat-  
tan, Kan., and Supt. Hayden, of Des  
Moines, Ia.

The judges on thought and compo-  
sition are Dr. E. E. White, Colum-  
bus, O.; Dr. F. W. Gussman, of  
Chicago; Supt. Greenwood, Kansas  
City; Supt. Hollaway, Fort  
Smith, Ark., and Supt. Seifert, of  
Indiana.

## A BIG HAUL.

A Post Office Robbery at Rockaway,  
Ohio.

Tiffin, O., April 8.—Four masked  
men robbed the post office, store and  
railway ticket office at Rockaway,  
six miles from this town. Wm. Car-  
rick is in charge of all those offices,  
which are in his home. At midnight  
the men forced an entrance to his  
house, overpowered Carrick and his  
daughter, and bound them to their  
beds. The burglars then forced Car-  
rick to reveal the combination of his  
safe and the hiding place of other val-  
uables, and they secured \$2,000 in  
notes and checks, \$70 in cash and \$5  
in postage stamps, and after taking  
all the registered and ordinary letters  
disappeared.

## AN CANARIES.

Two Men Sold English Sparrows  
That Had Been Painted.

Shelbyville, Ind., April 8.—Yester-  
day there arrived in this city two  
foreigners, who were selling what they  
said were canary birds, and the parties  
succeeded in doing a land office  
business with the housewives of the  
town, who were greatly taken with  
the exceptionally pretty pets. This  
morning, however, these same ladies  
were decidedly out of humor when  
they found that the birds were noth-  
ing more or less than English spar-  
rows, which had been painted to re-  
semble canaries, the paint washing  
off.

Real Estate Transfer.  
J. C. Beyer today decided to Har-  
bert Krooks, for \$1025, a lot near  
T and Tennessee streets.

If you want to enjoy a nice, cool  
glass of beer call on S. Starks, 8, 2nd  
street.

## THREE MILLIONS

Go Up in Smoke at Knoxville,  
Tenn.

## TWENTY WHOLESALE HOUSES 80

Twenty Hotel Guests Supposed to  
Have Been Burned to  
Death.

## MANY OTHERS ARE INJURED.

Knoxville, Tenn., April 8.—One  
of the worst conflagrations in the his-  
tory of Tennessee occurred here this  
morning.

Fire was early discovered in the  
Hotel Knox. It spread rapidly, as-  
sisted by a heavy wind, and totally  
destroyed the hotel. Storehouse's fur-  
niture store, Cullen & Newman's  
printing office, Lader's dry goods  
store, Murphy's hat store, Briscoe's  
wholesale notions, Woodruff's hard-  
ware, Nelson & Hayes shoe store,  
McNulty's grocery store, Ross &  
Co's grocery store, and ten other  
houses.

The loss will exceed \$5,000,000,  
and twenty guests are missing from

## TEN YEARS

John Moore Was Lucky Not to  
Get a Life Term.

Louisville, April 8.—John Moore,  
alias John Anderson, colored, was  
tried in the criminal division yester-  
day on the charge of homebreking  
and two previous felony convictions,  
and was found guilty, and the jury  
fixed his punishment at ten years in  
the penitentiary.

## CHANGE OF MINISTERS

Rev. Keenan Transferred to the  
Missouri Conference.

Rev. J. T. Keenan, who has had  
charge of the Mechanicsburg M. E.  
church, has been transferred to the  
Missouri conference, and his place  
will be supplied for the remainder of  
the year by Rev. J. H. Collins, who  
is now conducting a tent meeting in  
Mechanicsburg.

## DEATH OF MRS. WICKS.

Her Husband Deserted Her Sev-  
eral Years Ago.

Mrs. Ida Wicks, whose precat-  
ious condition was mentioned yester-  
day's item, died at 7:30 o'clock last  
evening at her home on West Clark  
street of pneumonia.

The deceased was about 40 years  
of age, and a niece of ex-Jailer Ev-  
ans, of Lyon county.  
Her husband took her to Califor-

## DEPOT STRUCK

By Lightning at Eldysville Last  
Night.

## NO ONE WAS INJURED.

Notes of Interest to Illinois Cen-  
tral Employees—Contem-  
plated Improve-  
ments.

## MINOR CHANGES OF INTER ST.

Lightning struck the Illinois Cen-  
tral depot at Eldysville last night, and  
in addition to tearing some of the  
buildings away temporarily damaged  
the wires. The operator, however,  
escaped unharmed.

This is the second time within the  
past two or three months the depot at  
Eldysville has been struck, but for-  
tunately neither time did any great  
damage result.

The Illinois Central railroad, not  
content with spending over \$15,000,  
000 in the purchase of the Chesapeake,  
Ohio & Southwestern railroad  
in Kentucky, is soon to acquire con-  
trol of the "Short Route" property  
at Louisville. The Illinois Central  
already owns all of the securities and  
all that remains is to take the road  
out of the hands of St. John Boyle,  
receiver, and operate it. The Illinois  
Central has already begun prepara-  
tions for building large and com-  
modious freight depots at Twelfth and  
at Floyd streets, and it is said will  
greatly enlarge the Seventh street  
depot.

In this connection it is said that  
the Illinois Central will handle the  
freight business of the St. Louis Air-  
line, and that the Air-line will event-  
ually run its passenger trains into  
the depot at Seventh and the river.

Conductors G. W. Slackert, Fred  
Hurns and Al Woods, of the St.  
Louis division, have signified their  
intention of going on the conductor's  
excursion to California on May 6.  
The train leaves St. Louis on that  
date.

Business in baggage departments  
is unusually dull at the Union Depot  
at present. Baggage-master Flowers,  
however, expects a revival in a short  
time. The dry goods men are com-  
ing out rapidly, which will add an  
impetus, and now that the Dingley  
bill is passing passage, the clothing  
men will soon know what to do and  
come out full force.

Mr. W. H. Rogers, one of the popu-  
lar young employes of the Illinois  
Central who has been assisting at the  
dispatcher's office here at various  
times recently, left today for Ripley,  
Tenn., to accept the position of as-  
sistant agent for the Illinois Cen-  
tral.

Special Agent Hantley left this  
morning for Louisville on business.

Conductor Will Baker has accepted  
the preferred night run vacated by  
Conductor Craft who took the run  
abandoned yesterday by Conductor  
Cameron. The latter took a train  
between Newbern and Memphis.

Passenger No. 201, from Louis-  
ville, due at 12:10 this afternoon,  
was delayed nearly two hours by an  
accident beyond Eldysville. An ex-  
tra haul one car derailed near a tren-  
ch and it required some time to re-  
move the obstruction that the passen-  
ger might pass.

## MARKETS.

(Reported Daily by Lacy Grain Company.)

Chicago, Ill., April 8.—May  
wheat opened at 66 1/4-66 1/2's highest  
67 1/4, closed at 66 1/2 s.

May corn opened at 23 1/4-23 1/2 s and  
closed at 23 1/4 s.

May oats opened at 16 1/2-16 3/4 s and  
closed at 16 1/2 s.

May pork opened at \$8.00 and  
closed at \$8.10-12.

May lard opened at \$4.07-5-07 and  
closed at \$4.07-10-11.

May ribs opened at \$1.37-4-42 and  
closed at \$4.47 s.

N. W. receipts, 264 cars.

Clerences, 2,16,000 bushels.

New line of half lamps just re-  
ceived at the Robins Glass and  
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## M'COMB TO LEAVE.

She Will Be Taken to Cape  
Girardeau.

The George W. Parker Brought  
Back by Capt. Hollingsworth.

The H. S. M. Comb will tonight  
or tomorrow leave Paducah for Cape  
Girardeau, Mo., to enter the trade,  
after being laid up in the harbor for  
the winter.

The George W. Parker was taken  
to Cape Girardeau several days ago,  
but proved to be unsuitable to the  
purpose for which she was wanted.

## FAMILIAR FACE.

William Manager of La Belle Park  
W. J. Carleton, in Past Mail.

W. J. Carleton, the erstwhile man-  
ager of La Belle park, who left the  
city rather suddenly last summer,  
after being discharged, appeared in  
"Fast Mail" at Morton's opera house  
last night as the telegraph operator.

Carleton joined the company soon  
after the season opened, and has been  
with it ever since.

## "CINEMATOSCOPE"

At Morton's Opera House To-  
night.

Edison's "Cinematoscope" in  
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